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Mr. J. R. Campbell, 1716 N. 1st, held February 14th at the residence of Mr. Marie Brown, 1923-4 Clark avenue. All members are urged to attend these meetings.

Mrs. Estelle Foster, president; Albert Knapa, reporter.

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Jeff's Lunch—Kansas City, Mo.

...readers the wounded ...
...sunday, Jan. 27. We were given ...
...prise musicale by Mrs. Eliza ...
...rd, pianist, Master Morton ...
...olinist, and Mrs. Louise Wil ...
...olist. Mrs. Julia Alexander ...
...est prize". We were then ...
...defeat bunches by the ...

ular meeting Tuesday
residence of Miss Viola
next meeting will be
Houston. Miss Amant
ident; Mrs. L. Morris.
Miss Viola Whitten,
Mamie Craig, reports

evening at the
a Walton. The
with Mrs. Pearl
Mrs. Harris, pres-
secretary; Miss
treasurer; Mrs.
K.

mother, a wife and four children, were hungry; and would have been because they were hungry. What bucket of coal." What

...small amount of money,
not last long with their
to feed. . . .
...the one in expected suc-
...the boy is ill with a heavy
...he is kept warm and
...food, his condition will
...a younger boys with
Y AND LOCALS
...naud on Page 3

SATURDAY, FEB. 12—8 P. M.

Boxing, Shadow Boxing, Games, Rope Skipping; Indoor Track Events and Races—Between Sumner High, Lincoln High, E. St. Louis "Y", Community Center and St. Louis Public Schools. ALSO—BASKETBALL. ADMISSION—Ladies and Gents 25cts.

EXTRA SPECIAL—WED., THURS., FEB. 2-3

"A Beggar in Purple"

ARE RICH MEN HUMAN?
 Cold, merciless in business, he lost a warm heart. This kid was his pet,
 Year ago at his mother's grave he had sworn his
 And this led whipped the money into action. make his enemies pay.

WHY WAS HE A REDHEAD IN PURPLE?
Also—2nd Episode of "THUNDERBOLT AND LIZ"

TUESDAY, FEB. 1

**Lyons and Moran in
"ONCE A PLUMMER"**
also 12th Episode of
"RUTH OF THE ROCKIES"

FRIDAY, FEB. 4

**Gladys Walton in
"PINK TIGHTS"**
also—2nd Ep.—George B. Sells
in "VELVET FINIERS"

NEES	THE CRESCENT CLUB Will introduce THEIR NEW DANCE TUESDAY NIGHT, FEB. 1	SPOT LIGHT NIGHT EVERY THURSDAY
TAL	In Competition for the Cash Prize To Be Given To The Club introducing the Most Popular Dance.	NOVELTY DANCE FEATURE EVERY FRIDAY NIGHT FEB. 1—"KIDLAND DANCE"
— PROP.		

<p>Thomas Ince Presents ENID BENNETT in 'Harpins' A Zippy Domestic Romance Of Love, Life and Fashion: A Story of Thrills in Married Life Not Told in the Family Near-Door. ALSO "PHANTOM FOE" COMEDY ----- and ----- NEWS</p>	<p>William Fox Presents WILLIAM FARNUM in 'The Scuttlers' A Stirring Sea Story with a Gigantic Insurance Swindle The Story of A Boring Kink A Characteristic Farnum in Rhig, a Desert Island. ALSO "SON OF TARZAN" MAGAZINE ----- and ----- NEWS</p>
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St. Louis' Leading Photo Play Theatre
10 Comfortable Seats. Best Music
DAY, JAN. 30
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the Texan"

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of the Unconquered'

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TO THE COLORED CITIZENS OF ST. LOUIS, MO.,

Our traveling representatives have been late in reaching your city and we doubt if they will be able to see you before our books close on February 10th. This advertisement, therefore, is given you, our friends and business associates, an opportunity to share in the honor of being among the organizers of this, the greatest movement in colored history.

Organized Finance is the Power ruling the World today. Without organized finance no people can develop common respect, protect their interests or make any business progress in this country. The very cradle of organized finance is the Silk Exchange.

The Harlem Silk Exchange will provide a market where the stocks colored people have invested in can be sold or a loan secured on same. It will encourage enterprise and protect investors against sellers of worthless stock. Further it will train men of our race in the arts of finance and trading, and provide a direct market for products of colored origin.

Shares in the Exchange at present sell at \$500 per share for over \$800. The company is a very profitable one. As the Exchange gets its income from commissions on the sale and purchase of stock, brokers' dues, charges for listing, etc., it runs no business risks. What, therefore, you are investing in is a safe investment. The dividend on the common dividend will be much larger, thus making this investment one of the safest and most profitable ever offered our race.

Branches of the Exchange exist in the following cities: New York, New Orleans, St. Louis, Philadelphia, Baltimore, Washington, and other large colored populations. The Philadelphia branch is run under the auspices of a syndicate headed by B. Gale (the well-known promoter), E. C. Brown and A. Stevens (the great business leader).

We want all the best minds among the colored people

to behind this movement, and therefore, urge your forwarding subscription blank below along with remittance without delay.

240 HARTEN STOCK EXCHANGE,
840 Broadway, N. Y. C.

I hereby subscribe to shares of 8 per cent preferred and shares of common stock of the Harten Stock Exchange at \$5.00 per share and enclose you \$..... to cover the subscription.

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Ready made any size. Work guaran-
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easy and profitable way. Write her
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FOR RENT—Three unfurnished
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FOR RENT—Neatly furnished room
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South Harrison avenue. (1-28-21)

FOR RENT—Two unfurnished rooms,
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Mrs. W. W. Wilkins, 1217 W.
11th street. (1-28-21)

FOR RENT—Neatly furnished room
for couple equipped or reduced equip-
ment; heat and phone service. 1274
Waring avenue. (1-28-21)

FOR RENT—Small furnished
rooms for working men. 128-21
2421-K at 4333-A Esplanade.
(1-28-21)

FOR SALE—The contents of a
three room flat, 3 rooms and bath
may be removed to 4259 West Belle
St. (1-28-21)

FOR RENT—Neatly furnished
room, heat and all conveniences.
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2926. (1-28-21)

FOR RENT—Furnished room to gen-
tlemen only. 3264 Cook (1-11-21)

FURTHING WANTED—By expe-
rienced chauffeur and automobile me-
chanic. Call Lindell 2103-R. (1-11-21)

CABINETMAKER—See D. S. Green for
kinds of carpentering. 6226 West
Ave. (1-14-21)

LADIES—will grow your hair
from 4 to 12 inches in 4 to 6 months,
and secured any hair disorders. Free
treatment. Send stamp for information
today. Mary H. Taylor, 111 Alhambra
Road, Desk W, Brooklyn, N. Y.

FOR RENT—Furnished room for
gentlemen. 4339 West Belle. Phone
Lindell 5346-W. (1-21-21)

FOR RENT—Neatly furnished
room with hot bath, furnace heat,
free bell phone. Call Lindell 1837-R.
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FOR RENT—From Room, Modern
Conveniences, Heat, Reasonable. 3841
Cook. Phone, Lindell 353. (1-28-21)

FOR SALE

SNAP: 10 room single flat modern,
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ed \$15.00 per month, price \$1500.
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Twelve girls between the ages of six
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Inquire Mrs. Ed. Page,
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CARD OF THANKS

We wish to thank our many friends
and relatives for kindness shown us
in the loss of our mother, Margaret
D. and for the beautiful floral dis-
plays and Mr. A. L. Beal the under-
taker for his excellent service.

DAUGHTER AND SONS,

CARD OF THANKS

We wish to express our sincere
thanks and profound gratitude to the
many friends for their words of sym-
pathy shown us during the illness
and death of our devoted husband
and father, Edward Evans, and also
for the beautiful floral offerings.

**MRS. LEZIE EVANS, wife and
daughter.**

CARD OF THANKS

We desire humbly to extend our
sincere and heartfelt thanks to our
relatives and friends for their kind
expression of sympathy and the
beautiful floral offerings tendered us
during the hour of sadness, occasioned
by the loss through death of my
dear loved husband and son, Tom
Reynolds. We wish also to thank
the Rev. F. H. Kolar for his prayer
for the souls of the deceased and
A. L. Beal, undertaker for the excel-
lent service rendered.

Our bereaved Family.

IN MEMORIAM

SANFORD A. HUTT

1899 1918

IN MEMORIAM

In loving memory of Little Estelle
Thompson, who departed this life Jan.
28, 1921.

You are gone but not forgotten
Nor shall you ever be.

As long as life and memory last,
We shall remember you.

If we had seen you at the last,
And held your tiny hand;

And heard the last gasp from your
lips, we would not have let you
go.

We would not have let you go,
If we had only known the pain you had.

We did not see you go,
We only knew you were away.

It is two years since you left us,
And we miss you more and more.

Our hearts are filled with sadness,
For the little one who was so dear.

For the little one who was so dear,
Who has been with us in our hearts.

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MEMORIAM

In loving remembrance of her wife,
mother and grandmother, Esther Har-
rington, who departed this life, January
28, 1921.

The month of January, 1921, was
to us the saddest of the year;
Because it took from us away;
One who for many years has been
Here, but her heart is now at rest,
God took her home when he thought
best.

When we are done with toll and care,
We'll meet our dear beloved there.

Sally, mixed by husband, daughter
and grandmother.

IN MEMORIAM

In loving memory of my dear hus-
band, Chas. Gertner, who departed
this life three years ago, Jan. 27, 1918.

Gone but not forgotten,
As long as life and memory last,
I shall remember thee.

Sally, mixed by her loving wife,
MRS. HELEN GERTNER.

GASOLINE EXPLOSION
KILLS EIGHT

Continued From Page One

ed his death some hours later at
Mercer hospital.

Four persons said that a French and
Walker, residing in South Memphis,
were building two unlicensed booths
on the corner of Broadway and
Twelfth streets.

Among the colored persons who
were present at the explosion were:
James Hill, 25, 1700 Locust street,
buried.

Arthur Johnson, 35, 304 North
Street, buried.

Andrew Taylor, 38, 618 N. Front
Street, buried.

Ophele Hines, 25, 67 Locust Street,
buried.

Ada Bradford, 31, 67 Locust Street,
buried.

Paul Vincent, 37, 37 Locust Street,
buried.

Collette Brown, 11, 450 N. Front
Street, buried.

Joseph Smith, 11, 450 N. Front
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routine of business a palatable two-course luncheon was served by the hostess. Miss Lauretta, youngest daughter of Mr. and Mrs. John Gale, to the governor as superintendent of the State School for Deaf and Dumb Negroes, located at Austin. He has served as superintendent over four years.

Entered as second-class matter April 3, 1912 at the Post Office at Saint Louis, Missouri, under
146 act of March 3, 1879

"The resolutions passed at the meeting say that the members of the association were informed that officers of the law enforcement department prevented lawyers from seeing the young men until late in the afternoon of January 18, although the lynching was staged January 17, 1955."

"He is a graduate of straight University at New Orleans, La., and says

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